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 Title: WAFER SUBSTRATE CARRIER HAVING DOOR LATCHING AND SUBSTRATE CLAMPING MECHANISMS

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- ☒ Specification, claims and abstract, totaling 35 pages.  
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| Total Claims       | 49           | - 20 =                  | 29           | X \$18.00 | \$522.00          |
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